

Many Lomita Groups Choose New Officers in Spring Elections

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Fire-Fly Theta Rho officers were installed during the May 13 meeting in the California Hall.

Jancie Green was seated as president. Fellow officers installed were Becky Zell, vice president; Margaret McCulloch, secretary; Dorothy Alvarez, treasurer; Phyllis Burkhalter, chaplain; Dolores Kylligstad, marshal; Sharon Wilson, conductor; Rebecca Workman, warden; Donna Hollowell, inside guardian; Barbara Whitnell, outside guardian; Bernice Hilliker, right supporter to the president; Kathy Kelly, left supporter to the president.

High supporter to the vice president is Sandy Henderson. Barbara Wright is left supporter to the vice president. Hattie Schroeder was installed as advisor. Assistant advisors are Naomi Blais and Natalie Jones. Serving on the advisory committee are Mabel Quinn, Elmore Farquhar and Lurah Best.

Installing officer was Dorothy Alvarez. Natalie Jones was installing marshal, and Sharon Wilson, installing chaplain.

Refreshments were served by the senior Greens, parents of the new president.

Next meeting of the group will be May 27, in the California Hall.

Louis Bowen was installed as president of the Mothers Club of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church on May 15. She replaced Connie White.

Other members taking office oaths were Esther Bailey, vice president; Jackie Shelhart, recording secretary; Barbara Finch, corresponding secretary; Millicent Stambaugh, treasurer; Peggy Keller, chaplain, and Connie White, parliamentarian.

Rev. Eldon Durham, speaking on "interlocking ties," concluded the business portion of the meeting.

Mrs. White was presented a gift of wearing apparel by members of the executive board. New officers were each given a double carnation corsage.

Installation of officers marked the disbanding for the summer months. The group's next meeting will be September.

"Hands and Feet" will be the topic of sermon to be given by the Rev. Howard Resnie, of the Wayside Methodist Church this morning, May 19. The sermon is based on I Corinthians. New members of the church will be honored at a reception scheduled Tuesday in church. Mrs. F. Tillman will be in charge of the social event slated to last from 7:30 p.m. until 9 p.m.

The WSCS will install officers during the May 23 luncheon meeting. Included in the day's program will be a pledge service and the presentation of three honorary life memberships. The day's activities will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Opti-Mrs. Club officers relinquished their offices to their successors during a meeting in the home of C. F. Kellogg, 26810 Zephyr Ave., on May 14. Outgoing president Marvella Geurin presided. A joint installation with the Optimists is slated for May 25. Tentative plans for a rum-

mage sale on July 13 were discussed. The sale will be in the House of Rummage in San Pedro.

New officers will step into office and preside over their duties on June 11. Mildred Mumby will hostess the meeting.

Mrs. Frank Mickunas will hostess the May 28 meeting of Scout Mothers in her home at 25041 Cypress Ave., Lomita. Members recently held their annual dinner at the Palms restaurant in Torrance. Secret pal names were revealed and new ones drawn for the coming year. Mrs. Philip Hands, president, presided.

Mrs. Clair Laird, president of the Job Daughters Mothers Club, selected a nominating committee to choose new officers for the coming year during a recent meeting held in the home of Marjorie Mayer, 25416 Felja.

Serving on the nominating committee are Phyllis Schweitzer, Mary Moore, and Verna Chamberlain. Appointed to the auditing committee were Eunice Crawford, Mary Mince, and Edna Thomas.

Co-hostess for the evening was Phyllis Schweitzer.

Next meeting will be held June 12 in the home of Verna Chamberlain, 2319 W. 249th St., Lomita, at 7:30 p.m. Mildred Glusac will hostess. Hazel LaFleur will be co-hostess.

Lion Tamer members elected new officers during their monthly meeting. Voted to the seat of president was Phyllis Langan. Co-officers selected were Jerry Jobe, vice president; Donna Steinbach, recording secretary; Winona Swedberg, corresponding secretary; Tessie Benstead, growler, and Elmore Billings, treasurer.

A joint installation with the Lions is scheduled for June 21 at the Palos Verdes Country Club. Officers will take up their duties sometime in August.

The Rebekah Lodge, Trio 240, feted Mr. and Mrs. John Fern on their golden wedding anniversary during a club meeting May 8.

Mabel Moore at the piano, accompanied Robert Hallwell as he sang many tunes cherished by the couple.

Mrs. Fern was crowned queen of the lodge for the evening and was presented with a wishing well. Members performed a grand march during which coins wrapped in gold colored paper were dropped into the well. The honorees also received gifts from many friends.

An ivy covered church, a wishing well, and a bride and groom forced the center piece for the dining table. Birds alternated with wishing wells were fashioned into place settings.

Mary Smith, refreshment and decoration chairman, served a golden peach on a square of vanilla ice cream. The cake served was individual squares frosted in white icing bearing entwined wedding bands in gold colored icing.

Among the many friends and relatives gathered for the occasion was a daughter, Mrs. Ed Rogers and two sons, Harry and Clarence. A granddaughter, Nancy Myerscough, was also present.

Unitarians to Hold Meeting Next Monday

The first annual meeting of the newly created Pacific Unitarian Church Society will be held Monday evening, 8 o'clock, in Walteria Park recreational building on 242nd St., according to George Pitman, temporary president of the group.

The agenda will include the signing of charter members into the society, discussion and adoption of the proposed by-laws and the election of nine of 14 nominees to the first board of directors. A chairman, vice chairman, secretary and treasurer will be elected by the new board at their organizational meeting to be held shortly after the annual meeting.

The organizational procedure is expected to be completed in time to submit it for approval by the American Unitarian Assn. in Boston which holds its annual meeting in June. The society is now an affiliate of the AUA and the Pacific Unitarian Council, Sacramento.

The church school, Pitman added, enrolled a record 82 children from pre-school age through high school age at its last regular class session Sunday. Increased enrollment necessitated the society to locate in new quarters with services now being held in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, 1610 Acacia Ave.

Dr. Harry Shuder, retired colonel in the Army Chaplain Corps, serves as minister. Sunday he will discuss "The Need for a Spiritual Budget for Life."



(Herald Photo)

THE STUDENTS' CHOICE... Lella Santor and Tom Okada were elected vice president and president, respectively, of the North High student body at elections held last week. Miss Santor, managing editor of the student newspaper, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Santor, 17029 Ermanita, while Okada, retiring student body vice president, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Akira Okada, 18715 S. Western.

Church school will be held at 11 a.m. with nursery care provided for children 18 months to 3 years old. A coffee and social hour will follow services.

Tom Okada Chosen As NHS Prexy

Tom Okada was elected Associated Student Body president of North High School for the fall semester of 1957. Assisting him as vice president will be Lella Santer.

Other Student Council officers elected recently are Cindy Akers, recording secretary;

Amy Akashi, corresponding secretary; Janet Coleman, commissioner of publicity; Barbara Cage, commissioner of activities; Carole Atkins, commissioner of pep; Mary Ogawa, commissioner of finance; Yvonne Knight, business manager, and Bob Halliwell, club coordinator.

Also selected for next year are the cheerleaders and song queens. Cheerleaders chosen for pep, skill and personality are Cindy Akers, Maureen Frank, Mary Lyn Judge, Joanne Miller, Pat Reynolds and Nancy Terbeegen.

Song queens are Barbara Cage, Carol Lesar, Beverly McEwen, Sharon Prosch, Diana Standley and Jean Taylor.

ALMOND RAISING
California is the only state in the U.S. so far to successfully raise almonds in commercial quantities.

Two North High Students Get Tour of USS Princeton

The offensive and defensive power of today's U. S. Navy became more realistic for the Torrance students and their teacher during a short cruise aboard the USS Princeton this week.

North High Students Larry Lutz, son of Mrs. N. A. Lutz, and Jerry Cannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Cannon, were among high school journalism students from Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino and Riverside counties attending the first "A Day With the Navy" sponsored by the Navy Reserve Public Relations Company 11-2 Los Angeles. They were accompanied by Journalism Advisor Guy R. Old Jr.

The versatility of the helicopter was demonstrated by a rescue maneuver on the flight deck of the 350,000 ton carrier. An aircraft attack using rockets and depth chargers against a simulated submarine

was witnessed. S2F (Grumman Tracker) planes landed and took off from the main deck.

William McCaughey, electronics technician third class, was the personal guide for the Torrance students throughout the cruise. He explained in detail the effectiveness of the radar network and demonstrated the various radar scopes and their value as warning devices.

On their return to Terminal Island the students had a first-hand view of a refueling operation as a destroyer drew alongside for fuel.

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